

See SAPS Manual for detailed coding definitions (N. Andreasen, 1984.)

		NONE → SEVERE					
HALLUCINATIONS							
1.	Auditory Hallucinations The patient reports voices, noises, or other sounds that no one else hears.	0	1	2	3	4	5 [17060]
2.	Voices Commenting The patient reports a voice which makes a running commentary on his behavior or thoughts.	0	1	2	3	4	5 [17070]
3.	Voices Conversing The patient reports hearing two or more voices conversing.	0	1	2	3	4	5 [17080]
4.	Somatic or Tactile Hallucinations The patient reports experiencing peculiar physical sensations in the body.	0	1	2	3	4	5 [17090]
5.	Olfactory Hallucinations The patient reports experiencing unusual smells which no one else notices.	0	1	2	3	4	5 [17100]
6.	Visual Hallucinations The patient sees shapes or people that are not actually present.	0	1	2	3	4	5 [17110]
7.	Global Rating of Hallucinations This rating should be based on the duration and severity of the hallucinations and their effects on the patient's life.	0	1	2	3	4	5 [17120]

DELUSIONS							
8.	Persecutory Delusions The patient believes he is being conspired against or persecuted in some way.	0	1	2	3	4	5 [17130]
9.	Delusions of Jealousy The patient believes his spouse is having an affair with someone.	0	1	2	3	4	5 [17140]
10.	Delusions of Guilt or Sin The patient believes that he has committed some terrible sin or done something unforgivable.	0	1	2	3	4	5 [17150]
11.	Grandiose Delusions The patient believes he has special powers or abilities.	0	1	2	3	4	5 [17160]

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2 = Mild	5 = Severe

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12. Religious Delusions The patient is preoccupied with false beliefs of a religious nature.							[17170]
13. Somatic Delusions The patient believes that somehow his body is diseased, abnormal, or changed.							[17180]
14. Delusions of Reference The patient believes that insignificant remarks or events refer to him or have special meaning.							[17190]
15. Delusions of Being Controlled The patient feels that his feelings or actions are controlled by some outside force.							[17200]
16. Delusions of Mind Reading The patient feels that people can read his mind or know his thoughts.							[17210]
17. Thought Broadcasting The patient believes that his thoughts are broadcast so that he himself or others can hear them.							[17220]
18. Thought Insertion The patient believes that thoughts that are not his own have been inserted into his mind.							[17230]
19. Thought Withdrawal The patient believes that thoughts have been taken away from his mind.							[17240]
20. Global Rating of Delusions This rating should be based on the duration and persistence of the delusions and their effect on the patient's life.							[17250]

BIZARRE BEHAVIOR

21. Clothing and Appearance The patient dresses in an unusual manner or does other strange things to alter his appearance.	0	1	2	3	4	5	U
							[17260]
22. Social and Sexual Behavior The patient may do things considered inappropriate according to usual social norms (e.g., masturbating in public).	0	1	2	3	4	5	U
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23. Aggressive and Agitated Behavior	0	1	2	3	4	5	U
The patient may behave in an aggressive, agitated manner, often unpredictably.						[17280]	
24. Repetitive or Stereotyped Behavior	0	1	2	3	4	5	U
The patient develops a set of repetitive actions or rituals that he must perform over and over.						[17290]	
25. Global Rating of Bizzare Behavior	0	1	2	3	4	5	U
This rating should reflect the type of behavior and the extent to which it deviates from social norms.						[17300]	

POSITIVE FORMAL THOUGHT DISORDER

26. Derailment	0	1	2	3	4	5	
A pattern of speech in which ideas slip off track onto ideas obliquely related or unrelated.						[17310]	
27. Tangentiality	0	1	2	3	4	5	
The patient replies to a question in an oblique or irrelevant manner.						[17320]	
28. Incoherence	0	1	2	3	4	5	
A pattern of speech that is essentially incomprehensible at times.						[17330]	
29. Illogicality	0	1	2	3	4	5	
A pattern of speech in which conclusions are reached that do not follow logically.						[17340]	
30. Circumstantiality	0	1	2	3	4	5	
A pattern of speech that is very indirect and delayed in reaching its goal idea.						[17350]	
31. Pressure of Speech	0	1	2	3	4	5	
The patient's speech is rapid and difficult to interrupt; the amount of speech produced is greater than that considered normal.						[17360]	
32. Distractible Speech	0	1	2	3	4	5	
The patient is distracted by nearby stimuli which interrupt his flow of speech.						[17370]	
33. Clanging	0	1	2	3	4	5	
A pattern of speech in which sounds rather than meaningful relationships govern word choice.						[17380]	
34. Global Rating of Positive Formal Thought Disorder	0	1	2	3	4	5	
The frequency of this rating should reflect the frequency of abnormality and degree to which it affects the patient's ability to communicate.						[17390]	

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